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REPUBLICAN TICKET



FOR CONGRESS,

at the special election to be held October 14, 1913, in the First West Virginia district.

JULIAN G. HEARNE,
of Ohio county.

An Evening Echo.

Enjoyment arises from activity of mind; both are ever united. There is indeed also an enjoyment which streams in upon us as a pure gift of heaven; such, however, we should not seek after; it is to be regretted when an anxious longing for this arises. But the great enjoyment, that great happiness, that which cannot be torn from us by any power, lies in the past and in the thought that happiness is indeed a great and precious good, but yet the development of the soul by joys and griefs, the development of noble feelings, is the true and only end of existence; whereas every day in the world is changing and in its nature transient.—HUMBOLDT.

The Homecraft Course.

In the homecraft course just instituted in the Wadleigh High School, New York City, the attempt to meet practical demands in girls' education is seen at its best, according to officials of the United States Bureau of Education. The homecraft course is for girls whose interest is in up-to-date home-making rather than in advanced literary or scientific study. The work is taken chiefly by students who do not intend to go to college, but who wish to make the best use of their time while in high school; and it is particularly recommended for those who expect to stay in school only two years or less.

The course is both "practical" and "cultural." It answers the everyday needs of girls who mean to be real home-keepers and it affords abundant opportunity for studies that are for enjoyment as well as for work. Domestic science and domestic art, with household arithmetic, study of vocations, "clothing" its care, and remodeling—are prominent subjects of the first year. Drawing, music, biology, English and physical training are required subjects, with current history, English history and modern languages among the electives. Latin and advanced mathematics are conspicuous by their absence.

In the second year hygiene and sanitation are added to the requirements, and other studies may be chosen from a list which includes millinery, household chemistry, European and American history, history of women's work, arts and crafts and modern languages.

Household management, a required study, is a feature of the third year of the course. Applied design and applied physics are among the subjects that may be selected by the students. In the fourth year the girls delve a little deeper into the philosophy of homecraft by means of a required course on social efficiency. They may also regulate themselves with a number of more advanced studies, such as fundamentals of legal procedure, physiology, bacteriology and sanitation, household design and decoration.

Throughout the course the emphasis is on applied, rather than the theoretical knowledge, and the work is so arranged that regardless of whether a girl completes the four-year course or leaves before she finishes she has acquired a fund of workable ideas of direct value to her in the immediate problems of her life. At the same time the course is not narrowing. Girls who take it may, if they desire, elect some of the more usual studies from the regular high school courses. Furthermore, they are prepared to meet the admission requirements of the Columbia University School of Household Arts and similar higher institutions for young women.

Just Think of It.

A little boy once said to his schoolmates, "I don't make any more mistakes in my music." This little boy had such poor eyesight that he could not read letters three and one-half inches square more than six feet away from him, and yet he had been repeatedly punished by his violin teacher for making mistakes while taking his lessons. Just think of it, punished for making mistakes when he could not see his notes plainly.

How did he find out that his eyes were weak? His school teacher had been making tests of the sight of her pupils, and had discovered that this boy could not see well. She reported the fact to his parents, who got glasses that made him the happiest boy in school, saved him many undeserved punishments and caused him to say, "I don't make any more mistakes in my music."

This boy did not know, nor did his parents know, but that he saw as well as every other boy, and his mistakes were thought to be from carelessness and inattention.

This same boy afterwards became a noted violinist, was educated abroad and played before royalty. His glasses enabled him to see his notes plainly and he made no more mistakes in his music reading.

There have been thousands of just such boys and girls in our public schools in the past, who have been stumbling along, hating their lessons, and punished by their teachers and parents, just because they had a defect of vision of which they and their parents and teacher were ignorant.

Parents, do you know that your children have good eyesight? Do you know that they are not "long-sighted," "near-sighted," or "color blind"? Do they often complain of being tired, or of having a headache when returning home from school? Do they dislike school? Are they sleepy and dull when trying to learn their home tasks? Is it hard for them to keep up with their class? Are they inclined to play "hooky"? Then do not punish and scold them, until you first find out if there is not some physical cause behind it all, so that you may not regret later and blame yourself for neglect or injustice to one of your own.

Ignorance of the law is no excuse to the lawbreaker in court. Ignorance is no excuse for neglect of your children. Fifty per cent of the blindness caused by separation of the retina (the sight-seeing membrane within the eye) occurs in people who are near-sighted. Many of the headaches of children and others are the result of eye-strain caused by the attempt of the delicate eye muscles to overcome the defect. This overtaxing of them strains the eye muscles, then the letters blur or run together, the child feels tired and the eyes pain or headache follows.

Do not neglect your children's eyesight.

Associated Press Accuracy.

It would be well if the Associated Press, its purpose and practices were better understood alike by reader and editor. The institution bears a very important relation to American life and is well worth studying. Its telegrams are printed primarily in 850 newspapers and are copied or re-written in unnumbered thousands of other daily, weekly or monthly publications. It is safe to say that they are read by over three-fourths of the people of the country, and from the intelligence they convey practically everyone gathers his information respecting current events.

All will agree that it is important to use no stronger word, that the market reports be trustworthy. What assurance is there, not only that the reports of the Associated Press are honest, but that out of the necessity of the case, they must be more certain of accuracy than other market reports? One good reason arises out of the magnitude of the association's work. There are persons who think it would be better to have a half dozen small agencies acting in sharp competition, but this is a mistake. Such rivalry would doubtless tend to the greatest celerity in gathering the news. But such rivalry would not, from any point of view, tend to greater accuracy. And it is far less important that the citizen gets prompt news than that he gets true news. However desirable it may be to be first in the field in the presentation of news, and this feature of the work is not to be undervalued, still its reputation for truth and strict impartiality is the best asset of the Associated Press. And no smaller agency can possibly give as great a guarantee for accuracy or impartiality.

First there are the traditions of half a century to be lived up to. This spirit which animates every one in the service is a good deal, but it is not all. More important is the fact that every telegram of the Associated Press is subject to such a degree of censorship as to make untruthful or biased reports practically impossible. Every one familiar with the work knows it is impossible for any one in the service, from the general manager to the least important agent at the most remote point, to send off

an untruthful dispatch and escape detection. One may write a biased or inaccurate statement for a single newspaper and succeed with it, but this cannot be done with the dispatches of the Associated Press. Obviously then, the very magnitude of the Associated Press work tends to make truthfulness and impartiality in the service imperative. It cannot be used to "grind anyone's ax," to serve any special interest, or to help any political party or faction or propaganda.

This is not laying claim to any great virtue. It is saying that, under its system of operation and in view of the millions of critics passing upon its work, the Associated Press is automatically truthful and fair. If a man complains that the Associated Press is run in the interest of this party, or that, it is perfectly clear that what he wants is not fair play, but a leaning his way. As one evidence of the truthfulness of the Associated Press reports, it is significant that, during the existence of the present organization, damages have never been paid in any action for libel.

WHAT OTHER EDITORS SAY

Good Job.

The Clarksburg Telegram does a good job of "Rahing for Goff."—Parkersburg State Journal.

Much Easier.

According to a French authority any dance can be made vulgar. But it is much easier with some of the modern steps.—Wheeling Register.

Of Course Not.

In the rumput at Albany, it may have been noticed, Acting Governor Glynn isn't hurling any deds at Tammany.—Huntington Advertiser.

Will Learn.

The much else the administration does not know about how the tariff act is going to work it will learn as it goes along.—Grafton Sentinel.

Doubtful.

We refrain from commenting upon the case of the Texas editor who died leaving \$100,000 in cash until we are assured that the money was turned out by the C. S. A. mint in Richmond.—Bluefield Telegraph.

Would Not Exchange.

The gentlemen who will have to pay an income tax at the seven per cent rate probably think themselves badly treated, but we dare say there is not one of them who would change place with the citizen who is entirely exempt.—Bluefield Telegraph.

More Cause for Worry.

The Democracy now has additional cause for worry. Chairman Hilke and Secretary of the Republican National Committee, have called a meeting of the committee for December 16, at Washington.—Charleston Mail.

All Home Print.

The Republican has adopted the all home print plan. It has been striving to accomplish this end for some time. As a consequence of its attainment, we shall have more room than heretofore for local news. It is the desire of the Republican to be one of the best local papers in the state.—Wetzel Republican.

Wilson's Greatest Act.

Should Woodrow Wilson succeed himself as president, term after term, throughout the course of his natural life he would never again be presented with an opportunity of doing anything as important as the leasing of that tiny electric current which he yesterday sent with the rapidity of so much lightning over the wires some four thousand miles to Panama, touching of the blast which obliterated the last obstruction separating the Atlantic from the Pacific.—Sistersville Review.

Foreign Rejoicing.

Germany rejoices over the passage of the Underwood-Simmons bill, state the news dispatches. Yes, of course. And so also does England, France, Belgium, Asia, Australia, Japan, China and all the thousands of islands of the seven seas whose aborigines ever read or heard about America. The passage of the bill is a cause for general foreign rejoicing. About the only people who are not rejoicing are those who live and make their living in America. The smile is on the other side of America's face in this little tariff matter. America waives all right to rejoice to her more fortunate brethren of foreign lands.—Charleston Mail.

STEWART ACQUITTED.

MARTINSBURG, Oct. 14.—After a trial consuming a week, Claude W. Stewart, manager of the Stewart Vehicle Company, of this city, was acquitted by a circuit court jury of a charge of arson in connection with the destruction of the company's plant by fire a year ago.

Ayer's Pills

Gently Laxative. Sugar-coated.
Dose, one pill, only once.
Sold for 60 years.

Ask Your Doctor.

PADDEN DECLINES JOB.

PARKERSBURG, Oct. 14.—Charles Padden, of Wheeling, who was appointed deputy internal revenue collector at Wheeling to succeed H. S. Steck, has declined the position and Samuel A. Hays, is considering the appointment of another man to fill the vacancy.

\$100 Reward, \$100

The readers of this paper will be pleased to learn that there is at least one dreaded disease that science has been able to cure in all its stages, and that is Catarrh. Hall's Catarrh Cure is the only positive cure now known for the medical fraternity. Catarrh being a constitutional disease, requires a constitutional treatment. Hall's Catarrh Cure is taken internally, acting directly upon the blood and mucous surfaces of the system, thereby destroying the foundation of the disease, and giving the patient strength by building up the constitution and assisting nature in doing its work. The doctor has so much faith in its curative powers that they offer \$100 reward for any case that it fails to cure. Send for list of testimonials. Address F. J. CHENEY & CO., Toledo, O. Sold by all Druggists, etc. Take Hall's Family Pills for constipation.

EAT LESS AND TAKE SALTS FOR KIDNEYS

Take a Glass of Salts if Your Back Hurts or Bladder Bothers.

The American men and women must guard constantly against kidney trouble, because we eat too much and all our food is rich. Our blood is filled with uric acid which the kidneys strive to filter out, they weaken from overwork, become sluggish, the eliminative tissues clog and the result is kidney trouble, bladder weakness and a general decline in health. When your kidneys feel like lumps or lead, your back hurts or the urine is cloudy, full of sediment or you are obliged to seek relief two or three times during the night; if you suffer with sick headache or dizzy, nervous spells, acid stomach, or you have rheumatism when the weather is bad, get from your pharmacist about four ounces of Jad Salts; take a tablespoonful in a glass of water before breakfast for a few days and your kidneys will then act fine. This famous salt is made from the acid of grapes and lemon juice, combined with lithia, and has been used for generations to flush and stimulate clogged kidneys; to neutralize the acids in the urine so it no longer is a source of irritation, thus ending bladder disorders. Jad Salts is inexpensive; cannot injure, makes a delightful effervescent lithia-water beverage, and belongs in every home, because nobody can make a mistake by having a good kidney flushing any time.—Advertisement.

They Make You Feel Good.

The pleasant purgative effect produced by Chamberlain's Tablets and the healthy condition of body and mind which they create make one feel joyful. For sale by all dealers.—Advertisement.



Examinations made by Foggings method. No drug used in eyes. Call and see our Tonic and Kryptok Lenses.

Snyder & LeMasters
EYE-SIGHT SPECIALISTS.
Over Bijou Theatre,
CLARKSBURG
Hours: 8:00 a. m. to 9:00 p. m.

"Speak for Yourself, John"

There is none of the "courtship of Miles Standish" attitude about merchants these days.

They have confidence in their own ability to woo and win.

Just now their wooing is taking the shape of many attractive fall offerings made through the advertising columns of live newspapers like THE DAILY TELEGRAM.

There is boldness in the wooing—boldness that bespeaks confidence and good faith.

Are your ears—or rather your eyes ready for the proposal?

Mighty lot of good things to see in the advertising these days.

Be an advertising reader and you will be better off in mind and purse.

Now On Sale
Extra Large Size
Cotton Blankets,
\$1.25 Pair

EVENTUALLY YOU WILL TRADE AT
The Watts-Lamerd Co.
WHY NOT NOW?
We Give 25% Cash Trading Stamps with Cash Purchases

Choosing the Suit Is a Matter of Immediate Attention



And you will find here the largest stock, the greatest number of new models in our city to select from. Women realize that

Autumn no longer countenances the dallying of summer, nor any of its tokens. Autumn suit-time is at its height—the time of picking and choosing, of debating points of becomingness, of discriminating in matters of style. Every day assemblages in the Suit Store carry on a lively chatter—style gossip is everywhere. It is a gala-day for womankind, this lovely, refreshing autumn with its myriad of new things.

Sooner or later you will join the crowds that are daily selecting their new Tailored Suits and Coats here.

To date we have sold more than double the number of tailored Suits than in any previous year.

THERE IS A REASON

Shop around and then come here and you too will be the proud owner of one of Watts-Lamerd's specials—the best tailor made suits in America today at prices quoted—\$10.98, \$14.75, \$16.50, \$20.00, \$22.50, \$25.00, \$30.00 up to \$55.00.

Almost every express from New York brings us new shipments of new Tailored Suits and Coats.

Opening Sale of Comforts and Blankets DON'T SLEEP COLD TONIGHT

From the cheapest cotton Blankets at 75c the pair with easy rises up to \$4.98 for the best strictly all wool 11-4 Blanket ever offered in any store in a regular way—it is a wonderful value. And so at each and every price you will marvel at the value. Extra fine all wool Blankets up to \$15.00 the pair.

OH! THE COMFORTS OF A WARM COMFORT

You will find shown here the largest and most complete line of Comforts to be found in our city. The best values at the price, no matter what the price. Comforting are these prices: 98c, \$1.25, \$1.50, \$2.00 with easy rises up to \$10.00 for silk covered down comforts. Wool filled Comforts at \$4.50.

HOTEL MEN, MANAGERS OF APARTMENT HOUSES, CUSTODIANS OF BUSINESS BUILDINGS AND INSTITUTIONS, AS WELL AS HOMEMAKERS, SHOULD TAKE ADVANTAGE OF THIS SALE.

NEW DRESS FABRICS

We are showing a new line of beautiful new wool fabrics at 30c the yard. Handsome Quality of Broadcloths at \$1.50 the yard, in all the new and staple shades, also many new and novel fabrics at \$1.00 and \$1.25 the yard.

POWER DAM

Is again before the Public Service Commission of the State.

(BY ASSOCIATED PRESS) CHARLESTON, Oct. 14.—Tuesday morning at 10 o'clock the Public Service Commission again took up the hydro-electric power and dam question, with the exception of those causes that were continued until a later date at the meeting of the commission last month. The commission last week visited the sites sought by the Virginia and the Tri-State Power Companies, but branch of the commission has now whether it is prepared to give its decision at this time is very doubtful. As a matter of fact the commission recently amended its rules, requiring applicants for dam sites to furnish much more information than the original rules required. In the event the commission applying for a franchise do not comply with the requirements in its application the commission will take more time to reach its conclusions after further investigation.

Rich, Elegant Furs Just Out of Their Boxes Today

The largest stock ever shown and owned by any one store in our city

What wonders have been done with furs this season! They have been draped as softly about the figure as the most supple of satins.

They have been cut on the new lines, that wrap one about ankle or knee, flare full around the hips, and are caught close again around the neck.

They show puffed sleeves, gathered to cuffs, Russian Blouses, Bowknots, Buttons, large silk braid ornaments and fastenings and swinging balls of fur.

One beautiful Near Seal Coat with collar and cuffs, also wide band at bottom of stripe mole. Another coat of Near Seal and Ermine and so on, we could enumerate dozens of styles of rich new Fur Coats.

Wonderful showing of all that is new in Scarfs and Muffs, the majority of which are in sets from sets at \$5.00 with easy rises up to \$150 the set.

Every Woman Should Know That We Can Save Her Money On The Purchase of New Carpets, Rugs, Curtains and Draperies

House cleaning time is now at hand—the home will need new floor coverings or perhaps new curtains, in either case you will find here the largest stocks to select from and the best values in this state. This is no idle boast—we have the new Carpets, Rugs and all kinds of Curtains and Draperies to back this statement.

The most complete Carpet, Rug and Drapery department in our city. DON'T OVERLOOK THIS OPPORTUNITY.

NEW GLOVES

All the new gloves for autumn wear are now being shown.

GLOVES EXPLICITLY FITTED.

AT \$1.00 PAIR—Extra quality Cape Gloves in all sizes in tan, white, black.

AT \$1.25 PAIR—Centimeter Cape Gloves, one button clasp—black, tan and white.

AT \$1.25 PAIR—Glacier Gloves, two-button, Centimeter make—all sizes in black, tan, white, and gray.

AT \$1.25 PAIR—White Washable Doeskin Gloves, one-button clasp.

AT \$1.50 PAIR—White Kid Gloves, with embroidery on back.

AT \$1.65 PAIR—White Washable Doeskin Gloves, one button clasp.

AT \$2.00 PAIR—Gun Metal Gloves with embroidery on back.

AT \$1.65 PAIR—Centimeter French Kid Gloves, three-button. Colors, tan, brown, white, black and gray.

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